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Official Diary

Thursday, ⁴/₃ July 1952

1. At the Deputies' meeting, informed the Director that an IM from O/CI relating to the Middle East situation would not be ready for the White House today, but should be ready early next week.

2. Chatted briefly with [REDACTED] respecting his comments on the draft report of the Scientific and Technical Intelligence Ad Hoc Committee. He raised a question as to whether O/SI could undertake the responsibilities assigned to it without a major increase in T/O.

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3. Attended meeting of the Ad Hoc Technical and Scientific Intelligence Committee.

4. Attended meeting of the NSC Senior Staff.

5. Mr. Pforzheimer spoke to me respecting a request by Mr. Tannenwald, Deputy Director of MSA, that we brief Congressman Battle respecting intelligence on East-West trade. I indicated that I would discuss this with the Director.

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